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Present

On-Line Reporting
with MIRCal

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MIRCal
Medical Information Reporting for California

KEY TOPICS

The MIRCal of New Regulations
- Discharge Data Reporting into the 21st Century and Beyond
- Overview of Reporting Requirement Changes

The MIRCal of Quality Data
- Same Edits, Different Technology
- Quick and Easy Access to Reports
- The Analyst's Role (we'll still be here for you)

MIRCal Privacy & Security Updates
- Protection and Procedures in Place

Dissemination of MIRCal Data
- Public Version
- Web Queries
- Data Uses

MIRCal Expanded – The Collection of ED/ASC Data
- Data Collection Pilot Project
- Development of Data Definitions

Participants will understand the following: legislative intent and regulatory framework for on-line data reporting; substantive regulation changes; access to and analysis of various on-line reports; the current status of the data collection program for Emergency Departments and Ambulatory Surgery Clinics; the Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (OSHPD) efforts to maintain and improve privacy and security; and the uses of the data provided to OSHPD.

SEMINAR SCHEDULE

8:00 a.m.	Registration
8:30 a.m.	Program
12:30 p.m.	Adjournment

TARGET AUDIENCE

Health Information Managers in Hospitals and Ambulatory Surgery Centers, Information Systems Staff, Business Office personnel, Finance Managers, and Admitting/Registration personnel.

SPEAKERS

Irene Ogbonna, BA

Ms. Obgonna is an Associate Governmental Program Analyst with the Patient Discharge Data Section of OSHPD. After several years as a Discharge Data reviewing analyst she recently changed her focus and is now directing her knowledge and experience with the program to participate in the shaping of the regulatory framework for the MIRCal system.

Lorraine Sady

Ms. Sady is an Associate Governmental Program Analyst and has been with the Patient Discharge Data Section since 1993. She is the Lead Analyst for the Technology Improvement Committee that was created to assess discharge data editing and the review processes as well as develop new methods of improving quality and timely release of the data to the public.

Ginger Cox, RHIT, CCS

Currently in her tenth year with OSHPD, Ms. Cox is a Research Analyst II for the Healthcare Information Division (HID). With over 25 years of experience in various coding structures, DRG prospective payment system, and clinical data analysis, she provides consultative services on health data information to data users in their data requests and internal staff in creation of customized data reports. With the help of the HID Review Committee, she was instrumental in revising OSHPD's policy, procedures, and forms for protection of patient confidentiality. She is also a lead in the collection of data from Emergency Departments and Ambulatory Surgery Clinics (ED/ASC).

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